Upcoming Alumni Events

ANNUAL SEASIDE RECEPTION WITH PRESIDENT DELANEY
Date: Tuesday, May 4, 2010
Time: 6:00 – 8:00 PM
Location: Casa Marina Hotel & Restaurant, 691 N. 1st Street, Jacksonville Beach
Cost: There is no charge for this event; however a suggested donation of $10 will be accepted at the door.
RSVP: to unf-alumni@unf.edu or 904-620-4723 no later than Tuesday, April 27th

The UNF Alumni Association invites those alums who live or work in the beaches area to our annual Seaside Reception with President John A. Delaney, taking place at the Casa Marina Hotel & Restaurant. Join us on Tuesday, May 4th from 6:00 – 8:00 PM to network with alumni and friends and to hear President Delaney share the latest news happening at UNF. Beverages and heavy appetizers will be served and live entertainment will be provided by UNF’s very own Johnston Duo! To RSVP, contact the Office of Alumni Services at unf-alumni@unf.edu or 904-620-4723 no later than Tuesday, April 27th indicating your name, year of graduation and names of other guests in your party.

COGGIN COLLEGE ALUMNI CHAPTER 4TH FRIDAYS NETWORKING BREAKFAST
Date: Friday, April 23, 2010
Time: 7:30 – 8:30 AM
Location: Panera Bread at St. John’s Town Center

Join fellow Coggin College alumni at a “before hours” networking social. Start the end of your work week with a little fun and connect with other alumni over your morning cup of coffee. There is no cost to participate in this event and is a great way to kick off your Friday.

3rd ANNUAL SKYDIVE EVENT FOR UNF AND AFP
Date: Saturday, May 1, 2010
Time: All Day Event – arrive on location at 8:00 AM (we leave at approx. 2-3pm)
Location: Skydive Space Center in Titusville, FL.
Cost: $155. Photo/video packages are at an additional cost.
For info and to RSVP: 3rd Annual Skydive Event - UNF & AFP

For the past two years, the Association of Fundraising Professionals (AFP) First Coast Collegiate Chapter at the University of North Florida (UNF) have partnered with UNF alumni to take a day trip to Skydive Space Center - Titusville, Florida’s highest
tandem jump center - over Cape Canaveral. The event was formed to allow students and alumni to gather in a unique setting where the students can learn of career opportunities outside of the gates of campus. This is not only a once-in-a-lifetime experience, but it gives students the chance to mix, mingle and network with UNF alumni; a great way for the students to build confidence and set career goals while knocking 'skydiving' off from their Bucket List.

The event is for all UNF students, alumni, faculty and staff, friends, etc. All are welcome. Visit 3rd Annual Skydive Event - UNF and AFP for more information and to RSVP. Each year more and more courageous Florida college students, their alumni, faculty, staff and friends embark on this unforgettable adventure. In May 2008, 18 jumpers participated. Last year 32 brave souls jumped.

If you are interested to ‘DIVE INTO ACTION’ and join this fun-filled event, contact Lyndse Costabile, advisor to the AFP Collegiate Chapter at UNF, at  lyndse.costabile@unf.edu or 904-620-1672.

COGGIN COLLEGE ALUMNI CHAPTER SPRING SOCIAL
Date: Thursday, May 6, 2010
Time: 5:30 PM
Location: Lime Leaf Restaurant at Tapestry Park | 9822 Tapestry Park Circle, Suite 109
RSVP: brooke.fry@unf.edu by Friday, April 30th
Cost: $5 event ticket (cash or check at the door)

The Coggin College Alumni Chapter will host their spring social on Thursday, May 6th for all Coggin alumni and friends. The $5 cost includes appetizers and one ticket for beer or wine. This is a great opportunity to reconnect with your old friends and classmates during an evening of fun and celebration. We look forward to welcoming the Spring 2010 Coggin graduates as our special guests.

ROCKIN’ ON THE RANGE
Date: Friday, May 7, 2010
Time: 6:00 PM
Location: UNF Golfplex
Cost: $10 in advance OR $20 day of show

Enjoy an evening of music on the weekend of THE PLAYERS. This event is an outdoor concert on the range featuring Kort McCumber w/Beth Wilberger on fiddle & vocals. View his music at kortmusic.com. Tyler McCumber and friends will be opening the show at 6:00 PM. Tickets are $10 in advance OR $20 day of show. Visit thegolfplex.com or on your mobile device send the keyword ROCKIN to 51684 to get tickets now at 50% off. Bring your own picnic chairs. Concessions will be available. Children are welcome!

UNF ALUMNI JOB FAIR
Date: Tuesday, May 11, 2010
Time: 4:00 - 7:00 PM
Location: UNF University Center, Bldg. 43
Cost: Free to job-seekers

All UNF Alumni are invited to the upcoming UNF Alumni Job Fair, taking place on Tuesday, May 11th from 4:00 - 7:00 PM at the University Center on campus. Attend this FREE job fair to meet corporate representatives from the community who are looking to hire UNF students and alumni and to build your professional network and learn about career opportunities. Business professional attire is required. Bring copies of your resume to share with recruiters.

RSVP by April 30th through Career Wings if you’d like your resume included in a CD resume book distributed to all of the registered companies.

Is your company hiring? We strongly encourage any alums whose employers are recruiting to consider participating in this job fair. The cost is $300 per company, $200 for non-profit/government organizations. Register online today: https://unf-csm.symplicity.com/events/AlumniFair2010. Contact Career Services at (904) 620.2958 with any questions.

UNF EMERITI BOOK CLUB
Date: Wednesday, May 12, 2010
Time: 10:00 – 11:30 AM
Location: UNF Alumni Hall (4804 South Kernan Blvd.)
Cost: Free
The UNF Emeriti Book Club will be reading "Islamic Imperialism: A History" by Efraim Karsh. In this book, Middle East scholar Karsh surveys for a general audience the region's Islamic political past. In Karsh's coverage, the eruption of the Crusaders into the Levant hardly provoked a jihad to eject them; that occurred, in his account, through politically ordinary processes of empire building, eventually by the celebrated Saladin. Islamic unity and zeal, however, had always to be affirmed by reestablishers of the caliphate, a theme Karsh incorporates into his chronicling of the rise and decline of the Ottoman Empire, the distribution of its territories after World War I, and varieties of pan-Arabism prevalent after World War II.

The Emeriti Book Club meets the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 10:00 AM in the Office of Alumni Services located at Alumni Hall. Beverages and snacks will be provided. To join us or for more information please contact the Office of Alumni Services at (904) 620.2490.

UNF ALUMNI THIRD THURSDAY
Date: Thursday, May 20, 2010
Time: 5:30 – 8:00 PM
Location: Seven Bridges Grille & Brewery, Southside near Tinseltown
Cost: Free appetizers

Please plan to join us at Seven Bridges on May 20th from 5:30 - 8:00 PM for a casual evening of fun and networking with fellow alumni and friends. The appetizers are free, compliments of Seven Bridges. Be sure to bring a business card to enter drawings for door prizes and giveaways. Contact the Office of Alumni Services at (904) 620.4723 or unf-alum@unf.edu for more information. It's one of our most popular events!

BROOKS COLLEGE OF HEALTH 1ST ANNUAL PHYSICAL THERAPY ALUMNI EVENT
Date: Saturday, June 12, 2010
Time: Course - 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM, Dinner - 6:00 -9:00 PM
Location: Course - Brooks College of Health, Room 2045, Dinner - University Center
RSVP: by contacting UNF S.P.T.A. at (904) 620.2236
Cost: Course & Dinner $250, Dinner Only $55, Guest Dinner $55

The Brooks College of Health invites you to take part in this day-long course and social hour/dinner. The course, Clinical Evidence and Practice for Selective Lumbar Spine Manual Therapy Techniques, offers practitioners evidence-based guidelines and instructions for the specific application of manual techniques, including Grade V mobilizations, within the lumbopelvic region. The course will also provide participants with exposure to the history of manual therapy, as well as mechanisms to ensure successful teaching/mentoring of these techniques to PT colleagues and/or PT students. The philosophies of this course will follow an orthopedic manual physical therapy approach, which is a concept based on integration of evidence based decision making with problem solving and clinical reasoning. The course runs from 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM with breaks throughout the day. We hope you and your guest will then join us for drinks and hors d'oeuvres followed by a wonderful buffet dinner. Our keynote speaker will be Dr. Rusty Smith who will present "UNF Physical Therapy Program: Past, Present, and Future." For more information please visit http://www.unf.edu/brooks/clinical-applied-movement/pt.html.